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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Sir:

In response to an Office Action dated January 10, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted for entry and consideration. The Action set a 3 month shortened statutory period for response, making this paper originally due April 10, 2008. This paper is mailed along with a petition for a one month extention (May 10, 2008 being a Saturday).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.